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## **Via Regular Mail & Email**

Township of Mansfield  
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## **RE: PFAS Contamination in Drinking Water (2)**

Dear Mansfield Committee Members:

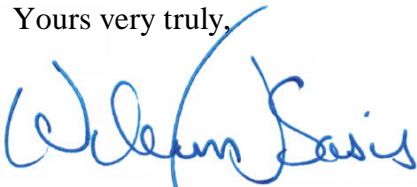
This is a follow-up to my March 10, 2021 letter regarding the toxic chemicals known as PFAS.

Attached is a Public Notice I received from The Borough of Waldwick, NJ regarding its drinking water.

Waldwick has a total of six wells that provide 100% of the borough's water. So understandably, this notice was likely sent because Waldwick owns and operates all six wells. But Mansfield has private residential wells and most people probably are not aware of the potential for PFAS contamination or possible solutions. Moreover, there's nothing preventing the Township committee from protecting the safety of its residents by warning them of potential contamination.

I urge that you work together with residents and other communities and set an agenda to educate the public regarding PFAS contamination in their drinking water.

Yours very truly,



William N. Sosis

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**Community Message: 03-11-2021 RECAP OF WALDWICK WATER QUALITY MEETING**

1 message

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**The Borough of Waldwick, NJ****Community: 03-11-2021 RECAP OF WALDWICK WATER QUALITY MEETING**

Dear William N Sosis,

Yesterday, the Borough held a Virtual Water Quality Meeting where our professional staff and technical experts provided information and answered questions about what the Borough is doing to ensure our residents are provided with quality drinking water. This meeting was in response to one of our water supply wells exceeding the NJDEP standard for PFOS, and followed up the March 1<sup>st</sup> public notice we mailed to all residents.

**The audio recording and slideshow presentation from yesterday's meeting are posted on our Water Department webpage**, linked below. The presentation from our experts as well as the questions and answers with residents are a great resource for anyone who wants to learn more about the presence of PFAS in our system.

<https://www.waldwicknj.org/index.asp?SEC=3D7C5915-58CD-43DA-8FF9-0A29A75E2CD0&DE=A49B0169-88DE-4842-A7F2-E7F8AF096B1D>

The Water Department webpage also includes PFAS resources from the NJ Department of Health, the US Environmental Protection Agency, and the US Center for Disease Control and Prevention.

Any residents with questions about our water system are encouraged to contact us by email at [info@waldwicknj.org](mailto:info@waldwicknj.org), by phone at 201-652-5300 x240, or in person at [63 Franklin Turnpike, Waldwick](#).

For full details, [view this message on the web](#).

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